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REMARKS

Claims 43 and 46 are pending. Claims 1-42 and 44-45 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the application as amended.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 45 and 46 were indicated as allowable if "adhesive" were changed to "hot melt glue" in claim 45. The Examiner further indicated that such amendment would be entered after final rejection. By this amendment, claim 43 is rewritten to include the subject matter of claims 44 and 45, and "adhesive" is now "hot melt glue," rendering the application allowable. Applicants reserve the right to file a continuing application addressed to any canceled or nonelected claim(s).

Conclusion

In view of the above remarks, Applicants respectfully assert that the rejections of the claims as set forth in the Office Action are now moot. Applicants further respectfully assert that all claims are in condition for allowance and request that an early notice of allowance be issued.

If issues may be resolved through Examiner's Amendment, or clarified in any manner, a call to the undersigned attorney at (404) 879-2443 is respectfully requested.

Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 09-0528 in the amount of \$120.00 for the filing fee for the Petition for Extension of Time to Respond submitted herewith.

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The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any deficiencies which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0528.

Respectfully submitted,

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